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DUNLEVY PURCHASES CONCLUDED AWAITING DEED TRANSFER; STOCKDALE TRACT TO BE USED SOON

Eighty Acres Carved From Clark, Johnson and Furnier Farms—Identity of Purchaser Now Unknown

STEEL CORPORATION IS BUSY

Subsidiary of United States Steel To Develop Recently Acquired Acreage—Frick Deal For Dunlevy Coal Hanging Fire

The sale has been completed but the deds have not ben delivered for an 80-acre tract of land suitable for mill purposes or by-products plants in Dunlevy borough, the tract being carved from the Clark, Johnson and Furnier farms. This news leaked out this morning, but neither the name of the purchasing concern, a large steel company, nor the price paid could be learned. Houses located on the tract are being sold and moved away as rapidly as possible. However nothing will be done toward utilizing the site until the first of the year.

A little farther south, a subsidiary company of the United States Steel Corporation has purchased approximately 320 acres of land between Allenport and Stockdale boroughs, and it is believed will utilize this location next year for by-products plants or for new mills. Tenants have been notified to move no later than April 1, 1917. John J. Johnson a prominent Pittsburg attorney and broker paid over the money for this tract but he represented others, notably agents for the Steel Corporation, according to information which became known to the Mail today.

All the Dunlevy purchase is located between the railroad and the river, taking in the bottom land there. On the Dunlevy hill the H. C. Frick Coke Company has under option 125 acres of coal. Whether this deal will be closed remains to be seen. Already the Frick concern, closely connected with and a part of the United States Steel Corporation, has vast holdings of Corporation, has vast holdings of coal lying back of Dunlevy. The idea that the Pittsburg Steel Company is the purchaser of the bottom land still sticks, though it has been impossible to verify this. Not until the deeds are passed will this information probably become known. The activity of agents of the Pittsburg Steel Company a few months ago and the notice of ejectment to tenants led to the spreading of the report of purchase. A good round sum is being paid for the site.

BENTLEYVILLE CHICKEN THIEVES FINED HEAVILY

John Sama, Angelo Frangomele and Jim Lackrock, the Italians who were arrested Sunday morning during the raid on the speakeasies at Bentleyville charged with stealing chickens, were given a hearing before Alderman R. L. Elwood at Monongahela and pleaded guilty. They were fined, the assessments with the costs amounting to over $100. They also paid for the 15 chickens they stole and killed and returned the bodies. On charges of carrying concealed weapons they were committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

WHITE LIGHTS TOO MANY FOR RAILROAD

Consequently Signal Colors Will be Changed Eliminating the White---Complete New Code to be Adopted as Soon as Materials Arrive

A complete change in the color scheme of signal indications will be made on the entire Pennsylvania Railroad system, both east and west of Pittsburg, as soon as the necessary materials can be obtained. Orders for the required material are now being placed.

While lights are to be eliminated altogether as a signal indication. Green will replace white for "clear" or "proceed," while a bright, distinctive yellow, visible at great distances, will be used for "caution." Red will continue to mean "stop."

The elimination of white from the signal color scheme has been rendered desirable by the increasing use of white lights of various kinds in buildings, driveways, roads and streets close or adjacent to the railroad's right-of-way.

The Pennsylvania Railroad system, however, was unwilling to proceed with the change until a yellow glass could be obtained for the "caution" signals which would give a bright light at long distances and still would not be liable to be mistaken for white, and so confused with other lights along the line of the Railroad. Progress in the art of coloring glass, after years of experimenting, has resulted in the production of such glass.

Adoption of the new signal system will mean the changing of hundreds of thousands of colored glasses and lenses. This will require considerable time for completion, especially as slow deliveries are to be expected owing to industrial conditions resulting from the European war.

Not only will alterations have to be made in all of the semaphore signals, but the following devices will also be affected:

Marker lights on the rear of passenger and freight trains: switch lamps and targets; markers for track tanks; "slow" signs; "resume speed" signs; hand lamps at interlocking and block signal stations; and lights displayed to the public at crossing gates. Light for the latter purpose will be red instead of green, as at present.

STEAM BOILERS MUST UNDERGO INSPECTION

State Law Provides For Examination of Mechanism—Fourteen Days' Notice Necessary Before Inspection Is to Begin

All steam boilers and appurtenances in all sections of Pennsylvania carrying pressure greater than fifteen pounds per square inch are to be thoroughly inspected, every year, both internally and externally and under operating conditions according to rules made recently by the Industrial Board of the Department of Labor and Industry.

The boilers exempted from inspection, according to announcement of Commissioner John Price Jackson, of the labor department, are those of railroad locomotives, subject to inspection under federal laws, boilers on automobiles and boilers of steam fire engines brought into Pennsylvania for temporary use in times of emergency for the purpose of checking conflagrations. Boilers carrying pressure of less than fifteen pounds per square inch must be equipped with safety devices approved by the industrial board.

The boiler code, adopted recently by the Industrial Board, applies to boilers contracted for on or after July 1, 1916, and to boilers contracted for before that date and to be delivered after January 1, 1917. This code deals specically with the details of construction approved for steam boilers.

Inspectors shall give at least fourteen days notice, to owners or users, prior to the boiler inspection and the owner or user must prepare the boiler for the inspection at the designated time by drawing water from the boiler, remove the man-hole and hand-hole plates and thoroughly clean the boiler and its setting. No notice need be given for inspection of operating conditions. All boilers contracted for after July 1, must be distinctly stamped as conforming with the Safety Standards of the industrial board.

JUVENILES WILL GIVE SWIMMING EXHIBITION

Swoger's Water Babies to be Here From Brownsville Tomorrow for Demonstration of Their Ability in Water

Juvenile acquatic artists of exceptional ability will appear at the Charleroi bathing beach tomorrow afternoon in their program of swimming and diving. The tots will come billed as "Swoger's Water Babies," being members of the class taught by Jacob Swoger of South Brownsville.

Girls and boys ranging in age from 3 to 16 years will do special stunts in the water. Trick swimming will be one of the features.

Last year the "Water Babies" gave their exhibition in Charleroi and made a big hit.

MME. PETROVA TO APPEAR AT COYLE THEATRE TODAY

The attraction at the Coyle theatre this evening will be Mme. Olga Petrova, the celebrated emotional actress in "The Eternal Question." The picture is one of the best and most sensational of the Metro productions.

THREE CASES OF HOMICIDE ON CALENDAR

August Term of Criminal Court to Begin Monday After Vacation Period

WILL SENTENCE M'PHERSON

On Monday next the grand jury for the August term of criminal court will meet. The number of cases listed on the district attorney's docket, exceeds 100, the schedule for the week being full every day, up to and including Friday. There are three homicides listed, but there may be pleas of guilty among these.

The cases of Clarindo Bonnonni, charged with the murder of Salvatore Sevelli and Sam Scalise, charged with the murder of Sam Pallata, both occurring at Arden, are set for presentment next week. Scalise has never been apprehended. Bonnanni is in jail.

The case of Zanett Ira Virgin, the young lad, charged with killing his stepfather, Elmer Dillon, will also go before the grand jury.

The May term saw an unusually large number of homicide cases, while for this term the specialty will be illegal liquor selling charges. There are about 30 liquor cases on the list.

The August term will probably last about three weeks, including the grand jury week. There is no August term of common pleas court following criminal court.

Samuel McPherson of Monongahela convicted at the May term, of manslaughter and who was refused a new trial, will be called for sentence next Monday. He shot and killed his stepfather, Wallace J. Hilton.

Court will be convened on Monday morning after a six weeks vacation. There will be pleaders at 9:30 o'clock motion and rule at 10 o'clock and constables returns at 11 o'clock.

CHALFANT FAMILY PLANNING REUNION

Committees at Work to Make Biennial Gathering Here Best Ever Held Nathan Chalfant of Glassport President

Notices are being sent out to members of the Chalfant family and connection of the biennial reunion of the clan to be held on Saturday, August 26, at Oakland park, near Charleroi. Anticipations of the committees are that the largest assemblage ever in attendance at a reunion of the connection will be present and to that end preparations are being made for their entertainment.

The Chalfant family is a pioneer family of Pennsylvania, the first of the name settling early in history in the eastern part of the state. Crossing the mountains when the region west of the Alleghenies was comparatively unexplored territory, some of the name located in the present Fayette county. From these early settlers the connection has grown and

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STOCK RAISING POPULAR BUT PRICES ARE EXTREMELY HIGH

Beef Cattle Being Rated These Days at 8 and 10 Cents Live Weight

DAIRY COWS SELLING HIGH

Farmers Taking up Stock But Are Not Willing to Part With it—Greene County Stock Being Shipped From the Crucible Yards

Stock raising has become a popular business along the Monongahela valley, yet there has not been such a development as to make much needed stock available even at the highest prices ever quoted.

The ordinary beef cattle are being rated these days at 8 to 10 cents a pound live weight, which by the way is an unusual price. Dairy cows are selling at from $75 to $150 according to the breed.

Calves are high-priced, selling live weight at 12 to 14 cents. Lambs are quoted by stockmen at 11 1-2 cents. Hogs are wholesaling around 10 cents. These are Chicago or Pittsburg prices.

Farmers are turning to stock raising as a lucrative pursuit, but it will take them two or three years to develop the business. Then it is not at all likely they will let their stock go at anything like low prices. With the demand for meat animals growing there does not appear much to encourage hope for the paying public.

Green county stock is finding its way into the market occasionally, shipments being made from Crucible. Lambs are loaded by Washington countians at Marianna. A few head of live stock is being loaded now and then at Speers. However the most of the available stock near Charleroi is purchased on the hoof for home retail trade.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR KARL RITTER, RIVER VICTIM

Rev. William Hogg of Speers Church Conducts Obsequies—Body Taken To Steubenville For Interment

Funeral services for Karl Ritter, the young business man who was drowned in the river when he pitched from a canoe Monday afternoon were conducted by Rev. William Hogg of the Speers' M. E. church Tuesday evening at the late home on Fallowfield avenue opposite the postoffice. This morning the body was taken to Steubenville, Ohio, leaving on the 7:08 train. Accompanying the body were Rev. Hogg, John O. Martin and O. B. Stevenson. Local pallbearers were H. M. Goehring, Carl M. Wertz, Lee W. O'Neil, D. R. Hall, S. M. Mason and J. M. Hill

INSPECTING FALL MINER IS KILLED

Fire Boss Johnson Dinsmore Meets Death Under Rocks at Naomi Mine

MEMBER WELL KNOWN FAMILY

Caught under a fall of rock while making his inspection tour as fire boss of the Naomi mine, Johnson Dinsmore aged 28 years, of Fairhope was killed instantly Tuesday. His body was recovered an hour afterwards by miners.

When the accident occurred Dinsmore was engaged in inspecting a fall. The rock overhead gave way and he was caught. His body was first removed to an undertaker's and then taken to the home.

Dinsmore was a member of a well known family of the Fayette City vicinity. He was unmarried. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dinsmore, two sisters, Mrs. Frank Bowers of Youngstown, Ohio and Miss Eva Dinsmore at home, together with two brothers, Harry at home and Lewis of Youngstown, Ohio.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with services at the late home. Interment will be in the Fayette City cemetery.

CLAYSVILLE CHILD DIES OF INFANTILE PLAGUE

Herbert Kimmins, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kimmins, Claysville, who was taken ill a few days ago of infantile paralysis, died at the home of its parents Monday night at 11 o'clock. The body was taken overland to Dallas, W. Va., where interment was. The little boy was an only child. Dr. Frank L. Knox attended the case and County Health Officer Dr. G. B. Wood of Monongahela also visited Claysville since the case developed. The Kimmins home was placed under quarantine.

HORSE, WITH UNERRING INSTINCT SAVES LIVES

Two unknown men in a buggy had narrow escape from death at the Speers' railroad crossing Tuesday evening. Just when the evening through express from Fairmont was approaching they drove on thet rack. Someone called to them and they stopped on the track directly in the path of the approaching train, turning their heads to hearken to the call. The horse, with unerring instinct saved them by backing. Had it not been for the act of the horse probably both lives would have been lost. They could hardly have completed their way across the track before the train struck them.

VISITORS INSPECT INCINERATION PLANT

J. H. Fulfort, city engineer and J. M. Friesemer, commisisoner of public safety of DuBois were here today to inquire into Charleroi's methods for garbage disposal. While the plant was unfortunately in bad shape, they nevertheless gained some good ideas on a visit, being taken to the incinerating plant by ex-Councilman D. R. Hormell and Burgess S. L. Woodward.

J. K. Tener, Pres S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier

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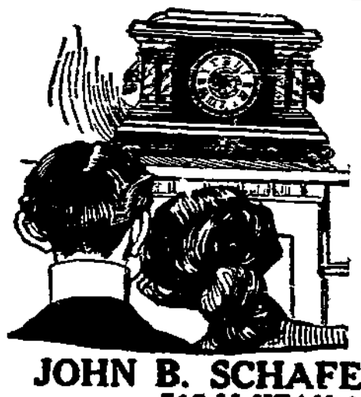

HOW WILL YOUR GIFT COMPARE WITH OTHERS?

Some of the givers have longer purses than you that's enviable but if you buy your Wedding Gifts here you can rest assured that it will bear comparison with any for it will be the best thing of its kind. Here are a few articles we particularly recommend Almond dishes, clocks, carving sets, tea services, bread trays, card trays, coffee percolator, candle sticks, chafing dishes, sandwich plates. Reasonable prices and unexcelled quality.

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THE MICROSCOPE

No [illegible] than the microscope. [illegible] dates back to antiquity. [illegible] every reason to doubt that [illegible] ancients had some knowledge of the use of the single lens. [illegible] pound microscope was [illegible] revered objects after the manner. The Italians and the Dutch both claim the discovery says Dr. Samuel G. Dixon, state commissioner of health.

These ancient microscopes were very crude instruments compared with those of today. They were, however, sufficiently powerful to reveal myriads of living things in the clear atmosphere as well as in a clear tumbler of water, but they left us to imagine a great unseen living world beyond the power of the new instrument, and that is even so today with our most improved microscopes.

In the hands of scientists the microscope has revealed from time to time a teeming life of bacteria everywhere present. Some of these minute organisms are the friends and some the deadly foes of man. Vegetable and indirectly animal life, depends upon their work.

Typhoid fever, tuberculosis, typhus fever, tetanus, and other diseases are the result of certain of these bacteria which can only be seen by the aid of the microscope. There is evidence, but as yet no positive proof that they are responsible for many other diseases, the aetiology of which is yet unknown.

An army of scientific workers is today occupied in the study of bacteriology for the purpose of discovering the organisms that produce the different diseases and then to push on with the idea of discovering that which would produce immunity or cure. This work is vital to the welfare of humanity—indeed it is that which forms the foundation of preparedness.

There is a constant warfare between these little single celled organisms and men. The bacteria have the advantage of reproducing themselves in untold numbers and of adapting themselves to different environments and when the conditions surrounding them suit their existence they produce great epidemics of disease that man is unable to resist. The fight is an interesting one as man has already discovered how to which for centuries baffled the skill of science.

PENROSE DECLARES HIMSELF

In the upper branch of the American Congress last week Senator Boise Penrose attracted nation-wide attention by declaring emphatically against Democratic extravagance and predicting that when this country awoke to the extraordinary appropriations of the present Congress the voters would administer severe and merited punishment to the Democratic party.

The public building bill was denounced by Senator Penrose as a crime, the river and harbor "pork barrel" bill was. Senator Penrose charged, appalling is its recklessness and he asserted that politics and prodigacy had run riot in the House which appropriated $325,000 for a public building at Tuscon, Arizona, a town of only 20,000 population.

Other southern towns of small population were pointed out by Senator Penrose as receiving startling appropriations for public buildings at a time when the treasury is empty and the revenues necessary to provide for the soldiers now on the Mexican border.

Senator Penrose's exposure of the profligacy of Democracy created a sensation and brought to their feet many Democratic senators with excuses but none with satisfactory explanations.

Last week Senator Penrose placed himself unequivocally in favor of Woman's Suffrage in Pennsylvania. He pledged his support to the cause of the women and he urged that prompt action be taken on the question so as to save women all the work possible.

This region of the Monongahela valley has suffered its first fatal canoeing accident in the drowning of

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Today

WORLD BRADY CORPORATION

Presents

ALICE BRADY AS "MIMI"

"LA VIE DE BOHEME"

A screen picturization of Henri Murger's French Masterpiece, a story of the passionate and carefree people of the Latin quarters.

TOMORROW

MARY FULLER

in

"THE STRENGTH OF THE WEAK"

Karl Ritter the estimable Charleroi young business man, but unlike most it was not due to any real or supposed frailty of the craft. The accident seemed one of those unavoidable tragedies for which there was no prevention, emphasizing stronger than ever the slender grasp that one has on life. That it should rob the town of a noble specimen of young manhood is indeed to be regretted and the community suffers with the bereaved family.

If there is a lesson in the tragical happening of Monday afternoon, when a young man was drowned, it lies in the one word, "Caution." Precisely what occasioned the drowning is something that probably never will be known. It appeared to be heatstroke. This may have been due in turn to the combined effects of over-exertion and ice water. At any rate this is a combination to avoid. No matter where the argument takes one, it is bound to end up its terrible teaching in the one word quoted, "Caution."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Once in awhile but not often you meet a man who believes the sign without touching the paint to see if its dry.

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When an institution shows it means business you like to patronize it.

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The average man will look for the calendar whether he knows the date or not.

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The customary and expected annual bathing suit sensation of Atlantic City has moved to Chicago.

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Many remember the Sabbath day to keep away from church.

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One Progressive called Teddy a Judas Iscariot. Tut! Tut! He musn't mistake evidence of brains for treachery.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Congressman Henry D. Flood, of Virginia, tells how two of his constituents emphasized their variant views of the power of the hypnotic eye. One of them contended that the fight could be driven from even the most savage dog by staring him straight in the eye:

"Yes," replied his friend. "I've tried that. A dog was making for me as fast as he could work his pins, and all I could do was to sit down and look him right in the eye."

"You thus demonstrated my contention and that of science."

"But I should have added," the friend went on, "that when I sat down it was near the top of a tall tree."—Washington Star.

During a convention of ad writers held recently someone told the following:

"A man entered a shop one cold day and bought a woolen muffler. When he opened the muffler he found inside the photograph of a beautiful girl with a note couched in these terms:

"If you are single please write to me."

"A name an address followed, and the man smiled. He was single. He placed the photograph on his library table. In a week he had fallen in love with the picture of the beautiful girl. So he wrote to her.

"A week passed, during which the bachelor was in a fever of impatience. Finally he received this terrible blow in the shape of a letter:

"'Dear Sir: The Mary Jones to whom you wrote was my grandmother. She died five years ago, aged 87. Yours truly.'

"Upon investigating this strange case the broken-hearted bachelor discovered that he had purchased the muffler from a dealer who did not advertise."—Albany Times Union.

DUNLEVY

Miss Margaret Cunnan of Belle Vernon spent Sunday at the home of her sister Mrs. Thomas Haywood, Sr.

Mrs. John H. Smith and Mrs. Thomas Croul, Jr., were over Sunday guests of the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mont of Belle Vernon.

Edward Richards of Dennison, O., spent the week-end at the home of his aunt Mrs. H. Dunseath.

Mrs. Neil Motts, and daughter, Miss Alice of Charleroi spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gray, Sr.

Mrs. Mary Copenhaver who has been spending the past week at the home of Mrs. Matthew Lynh has returned to her home in California.

Miss Viola Colvin of Belle Vernon is visiting at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Colvin.

Misses Mary and Helen Phillips of North Charleroi visited at the home of Miss Elizabeth Lynn Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Marconi of Beltzhoover spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grandy.

Arthur Haywood who is employed at Ellsworth spent the week-end at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Haywood, Sr.

Mrs. John Barrass and children have returned home after visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Patrick Hynes of Gillespie.

RHEUMATICS--GO TO IT

All Over the County They Are Taking "Neutrone Prescription 99"

"Neutrone Prescription 99" removes the poisonous accumulations that lodge in the blood.

After one week's use you will be looking at other sufferers instead of being an object of misery and pity.

Your joints and muscles will be loose and limbered up, all aches and misery will be gone, you will feel like new.

As soon as you take "Neutrone Prescription 99" you can feel the pain and misery leaving and comfort and happiness coming in. Go to your druggist today and get a 50c or $1.00 bottle, then enjoy life, feel like doing things again. Mail orders filled on $1.00 size. Hennings Drug Store.

THAT KNIFE-LIKE PAIN

Is Only One of Nature's Warnings of Weak or Disordered Kidneys

Have you a lame back, aching day and night? Do you feel sharp pains after stooping? Are the kidneys sore? Is their action irregular? Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the medicine recommended by so many Charleroi people. Read this case:

Mrs. D. F. Worthington, 914 McKean avenue, Charleroi says: "I was troubled by backache for years. The pains were so intense at times it made me sick all over. In the morning when I tried to get up, I was worse. Whenever I stooped, a sharp pain darted through me and I could hardly catch my breath. Often it was just as though a knife was being stuck into me. I was tired all the time. I had rheumatic pains throughout my body and my feet became swollen. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper Bros.' Drug Store, relieved me of all symptoms of the trouble. I now take Doan's Kidney Pills once in awhile as a kidney tonic and they always help me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Worthington had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Loose Leaf System Ordered

The court has made a decree authorizing the installation of loose leaf record books in the office of the register of wills.

DEEDS RECORDED FOR CHARLEROI PROPERTY

May 1, 1902—Hussey Binns & Co., to Hussey-Binns Shovel Co., a lot fronting on the P. V. & C. Ry., Charleroi; consideration, $60,000.

July 17, 1916—George W. Dawson, et ux, Charleroi, to Nick Dolaneski, Monessen, four lots 160 by 120 feet in the Lock View Terrace plan, Fallowfield township; consideration $800.

August 1, 1916—Matilda J. Elliott, Charleroi, to Carrie B. Little, Charleroi a lot fronting 30.55 feet on Lookout avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 91.50 feet; consideration $505.

August 1, 1916—Elsie Porignaux et con, Charleroi to Jules Barcouse et ux, Charleroi a lot fronting 40 feet on Meadow avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 115 feet; consideration $800.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS FOR WASHINGTON FAIR

Improvements in every department will be made at the Washington fair that will be held on the Arden track August 29, 30, 31 and September 1. Twenty-five thousand dollars will be given in premiums and as Washington is on the Lake Erie Trotting Circuit that means a speed program of the highest class. There are sixteen events carded with $400 purses, including one running race each day and the Washington county free-for-all for horses that have never started for a silver cup, a unique event in which great interest is being taken.

Charged With Stealing Copper

Samuel Cox of Monongahela, was committed to jail Tuesday by Mayor McVicker in defaut of $300 bail, charged by E. L. Clubb with stealing copper plates. Cox will appear before the grand jury.

Prayer Meeting on Building Site.

Members of the congregation of the First Baptist church will tonight hold their regular weekly prayer meeting on the building site of the new church on Washington avenue near Fourth street.

A Family Affair.

It was at the information bureau—the place set apart for inquiries about wounded men in the various hospitals. In fluttered a particularly pretty girl and addressed the rather severe looking lady in charge.

"I wish," she said, "to see Lieutenant Ernst Wagner. In what hospital is he?"

"Lieutenant Wagner can receive visits only from his relatives."

"I am his cousin."

"And I am his mother."—New York Post.

Our First Paper Mill.

The first paper mill in America was established in 1690 at Roxbury, near Philadelphia. The second was erected in Germantown in 1710, and the third, founded in 1714 on Chester creek, in Delaware, was the source of Benjamin Franklin's supply.—Argonaut.

Directed.

Floorwalker—Looking for something madam? Fat Lady—Husband. Floorwalker—First aisle to your left—male order department.—Stanford Chaparral

THE MAKING OF TUNNELS.

An Industry That Is Almost as Old as the World Itself.

While tunneling is among the most ancient of enterprises, yet more progress has been made in it the last century than in the twenty centuries which preceded it. It is now known that back in the semi-mythical days of the Theban kings the long tunnel into the mountain rock, expanding at a distance of 400 feet or so into some lofty chamber, was a common work of princes. The rock temples of Nubia, too, and of India show that in certain matters, at any rate, moderns may still learn from ancients.

Then again in Algeria, Switzerland, wherever the Romans went, are to be found tunnels of all kinds and designed for all purposes, for roads and drains and water supplies. Pliny makes mention of one notable achievement, the greatest of its kind in his day, the great tunnel constructed for the drainage of Lake Fucino. It was by far the longest artificial tunnel in the world at that time. More than three and a half miles long it was driven under Monte Salviano and required for its construction shafts of no less than 400 feet. Some 30,000 men were employed on it for eleven years.

From the time of the Romans until the latter end of the eighteenth century no great advance was made in tunneling methods. Old engravings of mining work in the early years of the seventeenth century show the pickax or hammer and chisel as still the chief tools employed. With the advent of the railway, however, tunneling became one of the grand necessities of construction, and progress was more

Plenty on Hand.

"Have you ever wondered about your husband's past?"

"Dear me, no. I have all I can do in taking care of his present and worrying about his future."—Boston Herald.

THE CIRCUS DE LUXE
CHARLEROI
Monday, August 14

MORAL, ENTERTAINING AND INSTRUCTIVE.
SPARKS
WORLD-FAMOUS
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25 YEARS OF HONEST DEALING WITH THE PUBLIC
A TREMENDOUS EXHIBITION OF WEALTH AND SPLENDOR
PERFECT SPECIMENS OF THE EARTHS MOST CURIOUS CREATURES GATHERED TOGETHER INTO ONE IMMENSE MENAGERIE.
THE CHAMPIONS OF ALL COUNTRIES COMPETE IN FEATS OF DARING AND GRACE.
THE PRINCELY SALARIES PAID BY THIS MAMMOTH ENTERPRISE HAVE ROBBED ALL EUROPE OF THEIR MOST VALUABLE ARTISTS
MALE AND FEMALE RIDERS, AERIAL ARTISTS, LEAPERS, TUMBLERS, GYMNASTS AND SENSATIONAL DEATH-DEFYING FEATS OF SKILL AND DARING BY BOTH MALE AND FEMALE PERFORMERS.
A BIG TROUPE OF HIGH SCHOOL HORSES AND A HUGE HERD OF WONDERFULLY TRAINED ELEPHANTS.
TWO GROUPS OF FOREST-BRED, MAN-KILLING LIONS PERFORMING IN GREAT STEEL ENCLOSURES.
5000 SEATS THAT WILL COMFORTABLY SEAT 5000 PEOPLE
TENTS THAT ARE POSITIVELY WATERPROOF.
TWO TRAINS OF MONSTER RAILWAY CARS.
A GRAND, FREE, STREET PARADE EACH DAY AT NOON
20 FUNNY CLOWNS
"MARY"
THE LARGEST LIVING LAND ANIMAL ON EARTH.
3 INCHES TALLER THAN JUMBO AND WEIGHING OVER 5 TONS.
A POSITIVE FEATURE AT EACH EXHIBITION
TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY-RAIN OR SHINE
2 AND 8 O'CLOCK
DOORS TO MENAGERIE OPEN 1 HOUR EARLIER

16-DAY SEASHORE VACATION EXCURSION

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August
17 and 31.

$10 or $12 to Atlantic City, Cape May
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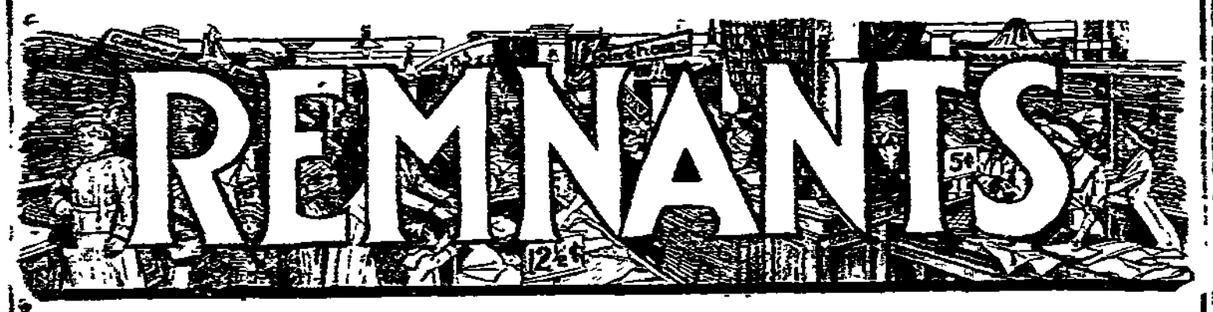

Thursday & Friday, Aug. 10, 11, '16

Remnant Sale starts Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Tables and shelves have been heaped with hundreds of remnants. This means that all short lengths of yard goods in every department where yardage is sold and all odd lots, small groups and surpluses of merchandise of other lines throughout the store are reduced to amazingly low prices. That's our policy. All our remnants—our own remnants, mind you -and all go on sale these two big days in August. Piles of fresh clean remnants from our stock of Calicoes, Percales, Ginghams, Linens, Dress Woolens, Silks Embroid ries, Laces, Ribbons, Carpets and Mattings, etc., await your selection. Odd wearables of every manner sacrificed to close out. All odd lots and mussed goods—all go at Red Ink Price on Remnant Days. The Red Ink Prices are "away down prices." Look for the Red Ink Prices and buy liberally for these two days' selling will close out big lots of merchandise. Many will bring baskets to carry home great bundles of these bargains. Why not get your share?

A Clean-Up Sale of Ladies' Coats, Suits and Dresses

This Remnant Sale means sweeping reductions on good, clean, dependable garments. Buy now and save.

This Remnant Sale should rouse every patron of this store. The prices of well made goods of a depedable character are bound to be higher for fall. Not many suits to close out but they are all stylish stylish suits and will please you. Then again we offer last season's suits at ridiculous prices. Also, a Big Sale of Dresses at 95c and $1.95. These dresses were sold at $2.75 up as high as $15. A little alteration and you have a fine dress for very little.

Watch this great remnant selling of wearables. There will be some wondersul bargains in Skirts, Dresses, Suits and Coats.

31 Spring Suits—These are our very newest and best styles for spring and summer and are every one in the latest style. On sale at $7.50, $10.00, $12.50, $15, 16.50, $20.

29 Spring Suits—These are last season's suits but many of them are very good styles—others will need remodeling. A little needlework will give you a splendid garment. On sale at $2 95, $3.75, $6.75, $8.50, $10.00.

A GREAT 95 cent SALE

At Ninety-Five Cents we are going to offer a great collection of wearables for lady, miss and child. Spring Coats, Rain Coats with Capes, Spring and Fall Dresses, Ladies' Skirts, Silk Petticoats, White Waists and White Dresses. We've a big lot of Wash Dresses, were 2.75, 3.75, 5.00 to 15.00 each. None laid away—none charged—none exchanged. Pick them out. Take your choice. Get your size. And ninety-five cents is the price. First come, first served. Store open 8:30 A. M. Thursday morning, August 10th.

$1.95 WASH DRESSES Here is a big lot of White and Colored Dresses that were carried over. They were 3.75, $5, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, $10, 12.50, $15, each. Remnant Day Sale Price $1.95.

$1.00 One lot of Hats to close at 1.00 **Trimmed Hats** One lot of our Best Hats at **$2**

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Shoes to fit feet and pocket-books

CARRIER SAYS DEVIL MADE HIM OPEN LETTER

Asserting the "devil made him do it," Blaine R. Weimer, 33 years old, Connellsville mail carrier, is alleged to have made a complete confession to Postoffice Inspector H. H. Williams of a number of mail robberies. Weimer was arrested after he is supposed to have opened a decoy letter containing a $1 bill and 25 one-cent stamps. He was arraigned before Commissioner Roger Knox at Pittsburg.

Files Suit in Divorce.

Mary Jane Pounds of Washington has filed a suit in divorce against W. E. Pounds. Cruel and barbarous treatment is alleged. They were married on July 4,1902 and lived together until July 8, 1914.

MINERS SATISFIED WITH CONDITIONS

So States Miner Who Eulogizes New Officials Now at Head of Affairs in Pittsburg District—Only Fair Show Needed

Many of the district miners believe now that peace will reign in the organization for some years to come. The following is what an old miner has to say of the situation:

"There is now every reason to conclude that there will be internal peace among the organized miners of the Pittsburg district. An adjustment of the differences between the miners and the operators have been adjusted and we of the miners hope the adjustment will prove entirely satisfactory.

"The most important change in the situation relates to the district union officials, Messrs Van Bittner and F. P. Hanaway having been succeded as president and vice president by Messrs Phillip Murray and Robert Gibbons. There is no denying that Van Bittner and Hanaway performed their duties faithfully, yet it is reasonable to suppose that the change will do the miners good, if the new incumbents are permitted to attend properly to their duties.

"The policy that will portend best to the general good is what should be followed, naturally and miners are hopeful. We know that these two new officials are men of mental ability, originality of thought and methods, possessed of good sound practical judgment on union affairs and industrial conditions. They need only a fair show to make good. The miners have faith in them.

CHALFANT FAMILY

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expanded until in the present generation there are hundreds holding relationship, living in many states of the union.

The officers of the reunion association in charge of arrangements are: Nathan Chalfant. Glassport, president; Fred Chalfant, Brownsville, vice president; Lawrence B. Frye, Charleroi, secretary-treasurer. Chairman of committees are: Entertainment, Floyd Chalfant, Charleroi; reception, H A. Chalfant, Connellsville; table, Mrs. J. L. Reeves, Charleroi; music, Rev. Harry M. Chalfant, Philadelphia; sports, Joseph R. Chalfant, Charleroi.

In the line of entertainment being planned are addresses to be made by various ones of the connection, including Bishop Francis J McConnell of the Methodist Episcopal church of Colorado, if he is able to be present and others of western Pennsylvania. A sports' program will be privided.

ANNOUNCEMENT MADE OF DEAL FOR COAL IN WEST VIRGINIA

Stephensen-Larkin Tract in Clay County Sold to Eastern Capitalists For $500,000

Announcement was made Tuesday by McClelland Leonard of Uniontown of the sale of the Stephenson-Larkin tract of 13,071 acres of coal land in Clay county, W . Va., to the Hartland Colliery Company for about $500,000 a little less than $39 an acre. The Hartland company is a West Virginia corporation, but is composed mostly of Eastern capitalists. The financing of the deal was conducted by E. H. Wickmore a New York banker. Mr. Leonard acted as agent for Dr. E. B. Stephenson, Samuel Stephenson, the Shelton heirs and others of Charleston, W. Va., who purchased the property several years ago, paying $6 an acre. The Hartland Colliery Company will work the property through lessees on a royalty b asis.

JUVENILE DELINQUENTS SENT BACK TO PARENTS

Wilmos Jasso and Adam Stefko, juveniles, have been committed by the juvenile court to the custody of their parents at Donora. The former stole $46 and , the latter was charged with receiving stolen goods. Boyd McCartney a delinquent, has been put in the custody of his grandfather, J. D. McCartney of near Eighty-Four. James McCartney and Mary McCartney and Carrie Marino, delinquents, have been committed to the Children's home, until such a time as a proper home can be secured for them.

If Your Hand is Black With Dirt or Grease And You Want it to Look White Use

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CLEANS all HANDS CLEAN and its use benefits the skin
Also unequalled for bath-tubs, kitchen-utensils, marble, etc.
1 Pound Can (Net Weight) 10 cents

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3 lb can	25c	13 lb can	$1.00
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CARROLL'S DRUG STORE

Near Post Office — Charleroi, Pa

FUNERAL OF MISS ELLA WISE HELD AT LATE HOME ON SHADY

Rev. George W. Snodgrass, Former Pastor of Church Where She Held Membership, Conducts Obsequies

The funeral of Miss Ella Wise, who died Sunday evening after a lingering illness, was held from the home of her parents at 421 Shady avenue Tuesday afternoon. Rev. George W. Snodgrass of Burgertstown, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church, where she held membership, conducted the services at the home and at the grave in the Monongahela cemetery. Serving as pallbearers were three brothers and three brothers-in-law, John, Fred and Frank Wise, U. S. Orange, W. T. McCullough and William Craig.

PERSONALS

Lutellus J. Robertson has been taken to the Allegheny General hospital at Pittsburg for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. George Woodhall and Miss Lorena Gamble of Washington avenue visited at Belle Vernon Wednesday.

George Merket of Girard is visiting with his daughter Mrs. W. P. Stiger of Shady avenue.

Mrs. Mart Jarett and daughter uth of Charlestown, W. Va., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carson of Washington avenue

The Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church held a picnic at Oakland park Tuesday evening.

Lee Showers of Fifth street spent Wednesday in Pittsburg.

Miss Emma Shortall has gone to Oakmont to visit with friends and relatives.

Joseph Bauers has returned to his home at Oakmont after visiting with relatives in Charleroi.

Miss Caroline Barr of Fairmont and Miss Enid Cobb of Clarkesburg are guests of the former's brother John F. Barr.

A number of Charleroi people attended a boat excursion held by St. Charles Roman Catholic church of Donora Tuesday evening. An upriver trip was made.

Dr. and Mrs J. K. Smith left Tuesday afternoon for Claysville being called there by the critical illness of Dr Smith's mother, Mrs. George Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Haines and daughters departed Wednesday morning on an automobile trip to New York city and other points in the east.

Mrs. Edwin McKay and children have gone to Eskola, N. C. to spend the remainder of the month.

Frank B. Burwell is sojourning at Atlantic City, N. J., being registered at the St. Charles hotel.

$10,000 DAMAGES CLAIM ENTERED AGAINST THE PITTSBURG RAILWAYS

Clara Rice of Washington and her husband, Clark Rice, have filed a suit against the Pittsburg Railways company in which Mrs. Rice claims $5,000 damages for personal injuries and Mr. Rice a similar amount due to the expense he was put to incident to his wife's injuries. Mrs. Rice was injured when she attempted to board a car at Jefferson avenue and Third street on February 16, 1915. She avers the car was started before she got aboard. She was thrown to the ground and her hip broken ond other injuries sustained.

Free Methodists to Hold Services

A tent has been erected on the Berryman lot on Fifth street and Fallowfield avenue by Free Methodists for evangelistic services to be held during the next several days.

Locate Sewer Leak.

After digging many feet into the earth on Fifth street just below Fallowfield avenue Tuesday street men employed by the borough located a break in the sewer and started repairing it.

FINAL DECREE MAKES PRECINCT AT MONONGAHELA

A final decree was made by the court Tuesday in the matter of the division of the Second precinct of the Second ward, Monongahela, into two voting precincts. No exceptions were filed to the report of the viewers. The voting place in the new Second precinct will be located at the "Old City Hall." The election officers for that precinct will be Finley Dean, judge of election; Horace L. Yohe, majority inspector and James Hendrickson, minority inspector. The polling place of the new third precinct will be in Crall's greenhouse office building on Mound street. The officers for this precinct will be Frank R. Baird, judge; Clarence Lever, majority inspector and Charles S. Crall minority inspector.

MOTHER OF FOUR CHILDREN

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Kept Her Well and Strong.

Lincoln, Illincis.—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for ten years with good results and I have four healthy children. This summer I was in a very run down condition and the very hot weather seemed more than I could stand, but I commenced taking your Compound in June and from then until September 25th, when my last baby was born, I got along much better than I had before. My baby was a girl and weighed 14 pounds at birth, and I recovered very rapidly which I am sure was due to your medicine. I am well and strong now, nurse my baby and do all my work. I had the same good results with your medicine when needed before my other children came and they are all healthy. My mother has taken your medicine with equal satisfaction. She had her last child when nearly 44 years old and feels confident she never would have carried him through without your help, as her health was very poor."—Mrs. T. F. CLOYD, 1355 North Gulick Ave, Decatur, Ill.

Espectant mothers should profit by Mrs. Cloyd's experience, and trust to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Free confidential advice had by addressing Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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FOR SALE—One team horses, 20 cows, including 6 Holsteins and the rest Jerseys. All less than 4 years old. F. Bongiorno, White Barn Farm. 39-t13-p.

FOR SALE—Studebaker touring car, 1913 model, first class condition. Have just had new transmission, differential, rear axles and rear wheels placed. All good tires. Will demonstrate any evening. Will sell for 200. Inquire H. R. Boyd, box 609, Donora, phone 163-M. 44-t6-p.

LOST—Set of light truck chains, between here and Bentleyville, or between here and Donora. Reward if returned to W. H. Calvert. 44-tf.

WANTED—To buy milk and cream. Universal Ice Cream and Cold Storage Co., Monongahela, Pa. 44-tf

WANTED—Offices to clean or other business places. Answer 765 Mail office. 45-t4-p.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms. Inquire Greenbergs, Fifth and McKean avenue. 45-tf

WANTED—Saleslady thoroughly experienced in dry goods and shoes. Good salary and permanent position to right person. Phone, write or apply in person at Goodrich's store, California, Pa. 44-t3-M-W-S.

LIFE OF THE NARCISSUS.

A Plant That Teaches Us a Lesson In Patient Waiting.

Fifty weeks of saving for one or two of spending! Eleven months of living in darkness for one month of sunshine. Three hundred and fifty days as an ugly, brown, dirty bulb for fifteen days as a beautiful fragrant flower. If ever you want a lesson in patient waiting turn to the flower which is satisfied to remain obscure nearly all its life for the privilege of blooming for a few days—the narcissus.

The bulb existence of the narcissus is so much obscured that we forget all about how the flower is using it as a savings bank or a life insurance policy. What we think is a worthless, ugly clump in the earth is busy the year round storing up nourishment and strength to serve the flower during its blooming period.

If the bulb were not of a saving disposition there would be no blossoms. The flower in turn takes sunlight and oxygen and sends it into the bulb to store away for another period of blooming. It depends upon the bulb to conserve this strength, and the bulb's thrift never fails.

Don't make the mistake of calling the bulb the root. In reality the bulb is the stem of the flower, made out of a cluster of thick leaves. Planted in the earth the bulb sends down roots, which seize fast to the soil and drag the parent bulb down with them.—Philadelphia North American.

SPAIN'S ROYAL MAUSOLEUM.

The Escorial Is Also a Palace, a Monastery and a Church.

Twenty-seven miles from Madrid on a bleak height surrounded by a sterile and gloomy wilderness stands the Escorial, one of the most remarkable buildings in Europe. It is 736 feet long and 625 feet wide, with tall towers at the angles. It comprises at once a monastery, a church, a palace and a mausoleum.

On Aug. 10 1557, the Spaniards gained a great victory over the French at St. Quentin, and the Spanish king, Philip II., had the building erected in commemoration of the event. As the battle occurred on St. Laurence's day, he had the building designed to resemble the famous gridiron on which St. Laurence suffered martyrdom by being roasted to death.

The work was begun in 1563 and continued for more than twenty years. The building contains a vast number of treasures—paintings, sculptures, manuscripts, etc. Among them is a life size figure of Christ on the cross, done in ivory by Benvenuto Cellini.

As it stands today the Escorial and its contents represent an outlay of more than $10,000,000. Here lie the bodies of all the Spanish kings since the Emperor Charles V., except Philip V. and Ferdinand VI.—Argonaut.

The Original Paul Pry.

Thomas Hill, familiarly called Tommy Hill, was, says Dr. Brewer, the original Paul Pry. It was from him also that Theodore Hook drew his character of Gilbert Gurney. Planche in his "Recollections" says of Hill: "His specialty was the accurate information he could impart on all the petty details of the domestic economy of his friends, the contents of their wardrobes, their pantries, the number of pots of preserves in their store closets and of the table napkins in their linen presses, the dates of their births and marriages, the amounts of their tradesmen's bills and whether paid weekly or quarterly. He had been on the press and was connected with the Morning Chronicle. He used to drive Matthews crazy by ferreting out his whereabouts when he left London and popping the information in some paper."

The Helmet That Fell.

Roquelaure, the deformed jester of Louis XIV., contrived to get out of many a scrape by his ready wit. One day he went to the king to ask his pardon for having struck off the helmet of one of his sentinels who had failed to give him the military salute. Louis, who knew his man, wondered that Roquelaure should crave his pardon for so venial an offense and said to him, "This is a serious matter, Roquelaure, but I will pardon you this time."

It afterward turned out that the soldiers' head was in the helmet and fell with it to the ground.

The Blushing Brides.

"Why are brides generally expected to be blushing as they walk down the aisle?"

"I suppose," replied Suffron Long, glancing cautiously about and lowering his voice, "that a good many of them blush to think how they are going to subdue the lords of creation after they've safely got them."—Judge.

The Way of It.

"Well," said the advertising poster man to his assistant, "we've struck a case of paradoxical luck."

"How's that?" asked the other.

"Here's a wall to our progress, and we will soon be up against it."—Baltimore American.

Proved.

Milly—Ninety-nine women in a hundred are naturally generous. Billy—Yes, where one woman will keep a secret ninety-nine will give it away.—Judge.

Mean Hit.

Gladys—Jack proposed to me so beautifully. Gwendolen—But, my dear, look at all the practice he's had.—Baltimore American.

Colleges and books only copy the language which the field and the workyard made.—Emerson.

TAKE HOME A 25c SPECIAL BRICK OF
VELVET ICE CREAM

and get a beautiful 42 piece set of Dishes FREE. A coupon in every brick. All First class dealers have them. Try one.

CULLODEN MOOR.

Where the Last Battle Was Fought In Great Britain.

The last battle fought on the soil of Great Britain took place in the middle of the eighteenth century. While George II was engaged in the war of the Austrian succession, Charles Edward, who was called the young pretender, grandson of King James II. of England, landed in Scotland and made two attempts to obtain the throne of his ancestors. He was victorious in the battle of Falkirk, but the Duke of Cumberland, son of George II., having been recalled from the continent to take command of the king's forces, the pretender was defeated at Culloden Moor, a plain in Scotland four miles from Inverness.

This was the last battle fought on the island of Great Britain and took place April 16, 1746 and it was also the last attempt on the part of the Stuart family to recover the throne of Great Britain. Charles Edward Stuart escaped to France after he had wandered five months in the highlands. He died in Rome, Jan. 30, 1788.

The Duke of Cumberland gave no quarter. The wounded were all slain, and the jails of England were filled with prisoners, many of whom were executed. Among the latter were Lords Balmerino, Kilmarnock and Lovat, Lovat being the last person who was beheaded in England.—Philadelphia Press.

CURIOUS SWISS LAWS.

Some That Look With a Very Penetrating Eye Into the Future.

There are in force in Switzerland certain laws, which, in the hands of the unscrupulous, may work great havoc with personal rights and liberties, an exchange remarks. This is a point concerning which there can be no dispute.

For instance, in most cantons men and women may be punished not only for what they have actually done in the past, but also for what may possibly result in the future from what they have done.

Suppose a man is spending week by week all that he earns. Then the local authorities, acting in conjunction with the local police, may send him to a penal workhouse on the pretext that his conduct is such that he may later become destitute, and therefore a burden on the community.

To be a burden on the community is a crime. The result is a woman who wishes to be rid of her husband for a year or two—or a man of his wife—has only to persuade the local authorities that unless he be forced to change his ways he may perhaps some day become destitute.

A visitor once found in one penal workhouse a woman who was there for two years at the request of her husband.

TEMPORARY INSANITY.

Caused by Mental Trouble Somewhat Akin to Epilepsy.

Is there such a thing as temporary insanity?

Many people think that the expression merely covers the kindly intentions of a jury to save relatives pain, but numbers of doctors who have made a study of mental disorders emphatically declare it is no idle term.

One doctor has stated that temporary insanity is a condition of double consciousness, not dissimilar to epilepsy. A person normally quite sane may have attacks of temporary aberration lasting little more than a few minutes, especially after long bouts of hard, continuous mental work, being particularly liable if insomnia supervenes.

Crimes have been committed in the early morning, when the perpetrator has not really been properly awake and has been horrified to find what he has done. This is a true case of temporary insanity, but it is comparatively rare, and a man in normal health would not suffer in this way.

A specialist in mental diseases has stated that he knew a case in which a person was insane during a certain time each day and that others have been known when the patient was quite normal at ordinary times, but suffered from a temporary fit of mania regularly once a month.—Pearson's Weekly.

Mother's Work.

"Father, you always seem to be in a better humor when you come home at night than when you go away in the morning," said the daughter.

"Of course," replied the parent; "you see I have some money in my pocket when I come home."—Yonkers Statesman.

More Than Enough.

Toward the end of a tiresome long play an actor came on in a prison scene and began picking at the walls of his cell with an iron bar. Pausing and wiping his brow, he said:

"This will take years."

"Good night," said a youth in the gallery.—Pittsburgh Telegraph.

CURIOUS BREADS.

Some Old World Makes Serve as Curtain or Wedding Rings.

Every nation has a bread that is typically its own. In one our flour is used in another wheat or rice or cassava, and the shape varies from the disklike Scandinavian hardtack that has a hole at the center for convenience in packing them away on poles in the farm house to our own plump loaves that come out of the oven in the well known form.

The bread of the Balkans, curiously made in the form of chains, is sold from the arms and necks of itinerant peddlers. In tent life in Balkania the detached links are often used for fun at quoits or serve a more useful purpose in suspending temporary curtains and awnings. Then when the campers run out of provisions they literally eat their curtain rings! The Japanese bamboo bread, so named from its shape, is a somewhat similar product. It is sliced and sold in strings.

One of the strangest of biscuits comes from Russia. It is known as fit the mouth biscuit and, besides being much appreciated as a tea biscuit, is quite commonly used by merchants ignorant of the three R's as a makeshift abacus in counting money—a lower string of ten serving for kopecks and an upper string of the same number representing rubles. More picturesque still is its usage as an extempore ring for marrying poor peasants with whom the gold ring is lacking.—London Telegraph.

CAUSE OF SHADOWS.

And Why They Are Darker In the Night Than In the Daytime.

Where anything through which rays of light cannot pass intercepts the light rays coming from a luminous body the light rays are turned back in the direction from which they come and the part on the other side of the object which intercepted the light goes into shade and a shadow results.

A shadow then is produced by cutting off one or more light rays. We notice shadows when the sun is bright in the daytime and at night when we walk along the streets lighted partly by street lamps.

The shadows we see in the daytime are caused by our cutting off and throwing back some of the light rays which come from the sun. These are not so dark as the shadows we see at night because the rays of light from the sun are so bright and are reflected from so many other objects to the side and in back of us.

When, however, we are walking along a dimly lighted street and come to a street lamp the shadows our bodies cause are quite black. The night shadows are darker because the source of light is less intense and the objects to the side of and in back of us (if we are walking toward the light) do not reflect so much of the light rays as they do of the sun's rays in the daytime.—Philadelphia Press.

Sure Enough.

"Another new hat? You should save your money with the price of everything going up."

"But why? The longer I save it the less I can buy with it."

One of Those Questions.

"It was his third attempt at suicide."

"And didn't he succeed at either of the others?"

One Phase of Efficiency.

"And you have had the same servant for two years?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Crosslots. "She says she doesn't believe in changing after she has gone to the trouble of teaching the family her ways."—Washington Star.

EARTHQUAKES.

How the Process Known to Geologists as "Faulting" Generates.

It is a well known fact that the majority of the severest earthquakes are produced by movements and readjustments of the outer shell of the earth. The process, known to geologists as faulting, is as follows:

Owing to various subterranean causes the solid crust of the earth is put under stress. The stresses keep growing greater until finally they reach the breaking point of the rocks. These yield suddenly and move over another along the line of fracture until the strain is relieved. This breaking of the rocks sometimes along lines hundreds of miles in length and the movement of the broken parts over one another set up jars or vibrations which traveling outward in all directions through the rocks constitute an earthquake.

The severity of the shock depends upon the character and extent of the break, the amount of movement and the distance of the point from the place of origin of the disturbance.

Earthquakes also occur frequently in connection with volcanic eruptions, but these are likely to be more local in character and, on the whole, less severe than those due to faulting.—Review of Reviews.

The husky lads who do the work of the world say they have to it to FIVE BRO'S. It's the best you ever for a smoke with a real kick to it or a rich snappy chew that puts ♡ into you. It's the genuine old Southern Kentucky Long Cut - that's why

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